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recorder. The brand recorder would still be here in the Capitol building, and eventually in the new office building. At the hearing we had Art Thompson, Chief Brand Inspector, there. He was there to answer any questions about this bill. There was no opposition. The committee passed it out by unanimous vote. I would move that the bill be advanced to E & R initial.

SPEAKER: Any further discussion? Seeing none, the question is shall LB 136 be advanced to E & R for enrollment. Have you all voted? Clerk will record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President.

SPEAKER: The bill is advanced. LB 180.

CLERK: Read bill.

SENATOR SCHMIT: The committee amendments would strike the five words "or as reappropriated by the Legislature" as being unnecessary. It adds also additional language which provides for the acceptance of gifts, bequests, real or personal property to the Natural Resources Commission for the purpose of additional funds for the soil survey fund. I move the adoption of the committee amendments.

(Senator Savage presiding)

SENATOR SAVAGE: Any further discussion? Question is, should the committee amendments be adopted. Record your vote. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Senator Stull.

SENATOR STULL: This isn't my bill and Senator Burbach is out of the chambers at the present time. I think we should have a Call of the House. I would ask for a Call of the House.

SENATOR SAVAGE: Record your pleasure for a Call of the House. Senator Savage voting aye.

SENATOR STULL: Mr. President, I withdraw the call.

SENATOR SAVAGE: Thank you.

CLERK: 27 ayes on the motion to adopt.

SENATOR SAVAGE: Motion passes. The amendments are adopted. Senator Carsten.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I was a co-signer on this bill. We did have this bill a year ago and it didn't get up to the top of General File. It did seem to us that in order for the State of Nebraska to come up to the point where they were in a good position for land use and all that is entailed therein that it was necessary that we have a complete soil survey in Nebraska. It is moving along but not as fast as it could be. This was what prompted us to bring this bill in to encourage a little more employment so that we may be able to cut the time involved in half. That is really, basically, what the bill is. I'm sure that Senator Burbach, who is co-introducer of the bill, and who did carry the bill in committee may have some further comments Mr. President.